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The three little pigs are brothers. They are going into the forest. They want to build three houses.

‘Let’s build our houses here,’ says the first little pig, Percy.

‘Yes,’ says the second little pig, Peter.

‘That’s a good idea,’ says the third little pig, Patrick.



The first little pig, Percy, gets some straw
and he starts to build a house of straw.

He sings, 'Hum de hum, dum de dum,
hee de dum, dee de hum,' when he works.



The second little pig, Peter, gets some wood and he starts to build a house of wood.

He sings, 'Hum de hum, dum de dum, hee de dum, dee de hum,' when he works.



The third little pig, Patrick, is very clever.
He gets some bricks and he starts to
build a house of bricks.

He sings, 'Hum de hum, dum de dum,
hee de dum, dee de hum,' when
he works.



Now all the houses are ready. The
three little pigs make a fence and they
paint it red.





But a big bad wolf lives in the forest! Every
day the wolf watches the pigs

He is hungry and he wants to eat them
He looks at the house of straw and he
says 'I can smell a little pig. I want to eat
him for my dinner.'



The big bad wolf jumps over the red fence. He goes to the house of straw and he knocks on the door.

Can I come in, little pig? I'm not very big!' he says

But Percy sees it is a big bad wolf. He says, 'Go away! You can't come in. You're a big bad wolf, you horrible thing.'



But the wolf blows and blows and the
house falls down.

Help!' shouts Percy. He runs to his
brother Peter's house.



Now the wolf is very hungry He wants his dinner He runs to the house of wood and he knocks on the door.

'Can I come in, little pigs? I'm not very big!' he says.

But Percy and Peter say, 'Go away! You can't come in. You're the big bad wolf, you horrible thing.'

But the wolf blows and blows and the house falls down.

'Help!' shout Percy and Peter They run to their brother Patrick's house





Now the wolf runs to the house of bricks
The three little pigs are in the house. He
knocks on the door

'Can I come in, little pigs? I'm not very
big!' he says.

Percy, Peter and Patrick say, 'Go away!
You can't come in. You're the big, bad
wolf, you horrible thing '

The wolf blows and blows, and he blows
and blows again, but the house doesn't
fall down. It's a house of bricks and it's
very strong

The wolf sits down and thinks, 'I can wait,'
he says.





The three little pigs, Percy, Peter and Patrick, are in the house. They are hungry.

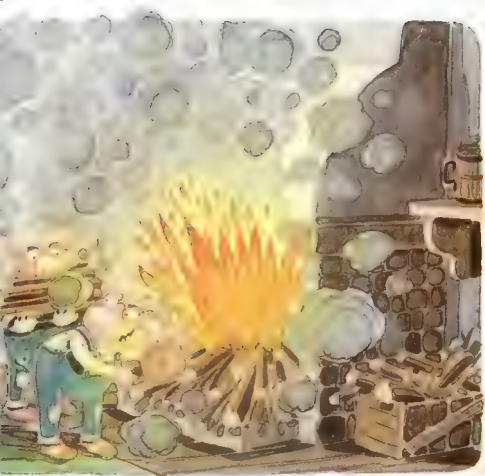
'The wolf is waiting. We can't go out. We can't get dinner,' says Percy.

'What can we do?' asks Peter.

'Don't be sad. It's OK,' says the clever pig, Patrick. 'I've got an idea. Let's make a fire.'

The three little pigs make a big fire.





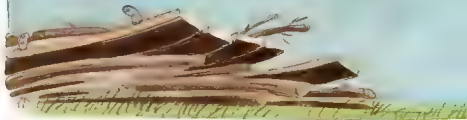
The three little pigs are in the house. There is a lot of smoke from the fire.

'Oh no! We can't go out! What can we do?' says Peter.

'It's OK,' says Patrick, 'listen and watch.'

He goes to the door and he shouts, 'The wolf is waiting. He isn't very clever. He can come down the chimney and eat us.'

The wolf is listening. 'That's a good idea,' he thinks.





'I'm a clever wolf,' thinks the big bad wolf.
I don't want to wait here. I want to eat
the pigs.'

He goes down the chimney



The three little pigs hear the wolf in the chimney They wait there is a big CRASH! The big bad wolf falls into the fire!

Oh dear! The poor wolf!





The three little pigs are very happy
because the wolf is not there. They
start to build a big new house

'Let's make a house of bricks,'
says Patrick.

'Oh, yes Straw and wood aren't very
good,' says Peter

'We don't want this house to fall
down!' says Percy.







The three little pigs build a big new house. It's very strong. They make a fence and they paint it red.

They sing, 'Hum de hum, dum de dum, hee de dum, dee de hum,' when they work.



Activities

A Match

a



b



c



- 1 straw
- 2 fence
- 3 bricks
- 4 fire
- 5 wood
- 6 chimney

d



e



f



B Tick (✓) true or false.

- 1 The pigs live in the forest.
- 2 The pigs paint the fence blue.
- 3 The house of bricks falls down.
- 4 The pigs make a fire
- 5 The wolf goes down the chimney.
- 6 The pigs fall into the fire.

T F

C

Write.

brothers clever fail fence
forest hungry smoke wolf

- 1 The three little pigs are
- 2 They live in the
- 3 Patrick is a pig.
- 4 The pigs make a and they paint it red.
- 5 The watches the pigs every day
- 6 The wolf is and he wants to eat the pigs.
- 7 The house of straw and the house of wood
..... down
- 8 There is a lot of from the fire



D

Write



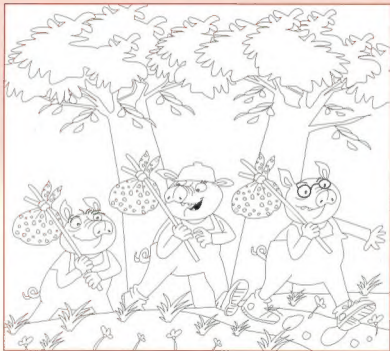
- 1 The pigs say, 'You're the big bad wolf, you . thing '
- 2 The wolf . over the fence.
- 3 The wolf on the door.
- 4 The house of bricks is very
- 5 The wolf falls into the
- 6 The wolf goes down the

E Who is coming down
the chimney?
Find the words.



F

Colour.



Picture Glossary

Picture Glossary



blow



bricks



build



chimney



fence



fire



forest



house



knock



paint



pigs



run



smoke



straw



wolf



wood

The Three Little Pigs

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